Jean Longuet, former member of the French Chamber of Deputies, will speak on "France and the Movement for International Peace" at Witherspoon Hall tonight at a meeting arranged by the Jean Longuet Committee. Dr. Jesse Holmes, of Swarthmore College,

will preside. Members of the committee for the Philadelphia meeting are from Bryn Garden Pier. Mawr College, the University of Penncylvania, the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, the Young Democracy, the Council of Jewish Women and the Women's Trade

Union League. M. Longuet is the son of the Socialist noneer, Charles Longuet, and grandson of Karl Marx. He has been in this country for some weeks, speaking in several cities on French socialism. He represents a great section of French opinion opposed to harsh treatment for

Clemenceau does not represent the true heart of France, Longuet says, and he desires to correct what he calls and he desires to correct what he calls the false impression which the "Tiger" is creating in America. M. Longuet will take up the question of debts arising out of the World War at the meeting tonight and will discuss the role of America in the saying of Europe America in the saving of Europe from further decay.
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France is controlled today by the imperialists, the greedy business interests and the militarists, he asserts. These forces gained control of the country by an appeal to patriotism immediately after the war. However, the French are becoming restive under this rule, and more iberal elements will come into power at the next election, he predicts. "France is very much alive," he says. "The mind of its people has changed perceptibly since the signing of the armistice, and it is still changing from day to day, but the only France which Americans seem to know about is a militaristic, jingo Government born in the hysteria of war and dedicated to the twin principles of rage and spite. The France of today is a France that longs France of today is a France that longs for peace and is desperately looking for a leadership which will point the way to peace—not by the path of conquest and revenge, but through the establishment of such international co-operation that world friendship may take the place of world suspicion."

BUSINESS MEN ATTACK POOR TROLLEY SERVICE

Five Northeastern Section Organizations Want Routes 4 and 5 Restored

Five organizations in the northeastern section of the city were represented last night at a mass-meeting when residents of Tacony, Wissingming and Torresdale ogreed to ask Thomas E. Mitten, president of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit,

dent of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit, for better transportation facilities.

The organizations which sent delegates were Tacony Fathers' Association, Tacony Board of Trade, Tacony Merchants' Association, Wissinoming Business Men's Association and the Torrestale Improvement Association. The meeting was held in the Carnegue Library, Torresdale avenue and Long-shore street Protest was made against the dis-

continuance of the service on Routes 4 and 5 and the "poor and in-4 and 5 and the "poor and ineffective service" on Route 58.
Because of the stopping of the service
on Routes 4 and 5, they declared, the
trolley riders have been compelled to
pay two fares to reach points in Kensington to which they were formerly
carried for one fare.

The meeting last night was the result of a number of smaller meetings
throughout the affected communities
since the opening of the "L" and the
introduction of new surface transportation.

BAD MONEY BEING PASSED

Secret Service Chief Lays Counterfeits to Bootleggers

This city is being flooded with counterfeit five, ten and twenty dollar bills according to William C. Houghton, chief of the Secret Service Bureau. He warns the public to look out for \$5 Indian Head notes, \$10 notes listed Ozone Park National Bank, and \$20 notes, listed Grand Rapids Na-Mr. Houghton said he believed these

notes were being made in Italy and sinuggled into this country. "Some of these notes," Mr. Houghton aid, "are being passed by counterfeiters through bootleggers." "A quick deal is made and the bootlegger puts the money in his pocket without look-ing at the bills. He is stuck and passes them to somebody else."

LIFE TERM TO MRS. HODELL

Mother and Daughter Sentenced for Murders in Michigan

White Cloud, Mich., Dec. 12.-Mrs. Alice Dudgeon and her daughter, Meda Hodell, were sentenced to life impris-onment at the Detroit House of Correction yesterday following their recent conviction on charges of murder grow-ing out of the deaths of David Hodell, father-in-law of Mrs. Hodell, and Romie Hodell, her husband.

LIQUOR AND STILLS SEIZED

Witherspoon Hall Audience Will

Hear Jean Longuet's Challenge to Clemenceau

GRANDSON OF KARL MARX

Jean Longuet, former member of the

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Shore Hotelmen Meet in April Atlantic City, Dec. 12.-Tentative Attantic City, Dec. 12.—Tentative dates for the annual spring exposition of the Avenue Hotel Association were selected at the monthly session held last night. April 16 to 23 were the dates selected and arrangements have been made to hold the affair on the Garden Pley.

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Glace Prunes, Stuffed with Prunes, \$1.15 Box Mince Meat in Jars

Park Farm Plum Pudding No. 3 Jars, \$1 75; No. 5 Jars, \$3.25 Alma or Sweet Brian

No. 3 Jars, \$1.40; No. 5 Jars, \$2.60 Park Farm Fruit Cake

Round Cakes of about 3 Lbs., \$2.25 ... 4 ... 3.00 ... 5 ... 3.75

Also cut in 1-Lb. Pieces at 80c. Lb. 2-Lb. Pieces, \$1.50 8th & Chestnut Sts.

2th & Market Sts.

No. 1 Can, 40c; \$4.50 Doz. No. 2 Can, 70c; \$8.00 Doz. No. 3 Can, \$1.20; \$14.00 Doz.

Malaga Table Raisins

Special Wooden Boxes 5 1/2-lbs., each, \$4.00 Colossal 1-lb. boxes 70c Colossal Clusters, package . . . 65c Fancy Clusters, 1-lb. package, 50c

5600 Germantown Ave. Atlantic City, N. J.

Prohibition Agents Raid Five Stores

Prohibition agents raided five places yesterday and seized a large amount of liquor and two stills. According to the agents, the following seizures were





Gifts for Athletic **Boys** and Girls

Soccer Balls of pebble grain leather, for how or girls—\$1.25; of cowhide—\$5.00; others at \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Basket Balls of pebble-grain leather, full size-\$3.90; others at \$3.50 to \$13.50. Rugby Foot Balls of pebble-grain leather-\$1.50; of cowhide - \$3.50; others at \$1.75 to \$9.00.

Boxing Gloves-\$3.50 to \$15. Punching Bags-\$3.50 to

Ball-Bearing Roller Skates, Union Hardware make, for boys and girls-\$1.95. Alale 13, Centre

Men Always Want Shirts

JOHN WANAMAKER

upon our page to-day the sad news of the

passing of the eminent citizen and great mer-

chant, whose business establishment has been

contemporary with ours for more than half a

John Wanamaker was a

men of distinguished attain-

ments. No man of his time

wielded a more far-reaching

influence in elevating the ten-

ets and practices of retail

His genius was the genius

of individuality. His person-

ality was given vivid expres-

sion through the great business

founded and builded by him,

and thus vividly impressed

upon the entire retail world

Axminster Rugs

9x12 Feet, Special

\$29.75 and \$31.50

group, which because of micor

irregularities in weave are at

Rugs, size 36x63 inches, at

Fine Axminster Rugs in

odd sizes that are constantly in demand: 6.9x9 feet-\$19.75

and \$24.75; 9x9 feet-\$25.75.

Extra - large Axminster Rugs; 9x5 and 11.3x12 feet

-\$52.75. Slight defects in

weave or matching are re-

sponsible for this low price-

Cocoa Door Mats will make

useful Christmas gifts. About

1,000 of them here, in various

sizes at interesting prices; 16x27 inches — \$1.65; 18x30 inches — \$1.85; 20x33 inches

\$2.25; 22x36 inches-\$3.75.

\$33.75; 9x10.6 feet—\$28.75.

such low prices.

\$5.75.

Only about 60 Rugs in this

Also Small Axminster

as a monument to his rare talents.

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It is with sincere sorrow that we record

Seldom indeed has it been given a man to so long

May that great business structure long survive

STRAWBRIDGE & CLOTHIER

guide the destinies of an institution of his own

-Especially when they are from Strawbridge & Cloth-ier's, the Store to which men come to buy their own. Fine-count percale, numer

ous color combinations-\$1.35 Of fine woven-stripe or plain white madras—\$1.55. Of extra-fine woven-stripe mallras-\$1.95.

Of excellent fabrics, with fibre silk stripes-\$2.15. Of fancy striped English broadcloth-\$5.00. Of beautiful silk in scores

of smart, distinctive, colorful patterns-\$5.00 to \$12.00. Night Shirts, of outing flannel, \$1.15 to \$2.00. Pajamas, of warm outing flannel-\$1.65 to \$3.50;

East Store, Lighth Street

Paisley Prints of Silk-and-Wool

-Are foremost from a fashion standpoint. Colorings and designs are glorious. Not only are these new patterns going rapidly into gift boxes to be fashioned into frocks and blouses, but many are selecting Paisley Prints to make into scarfs and mufflers for gifts. Width 40 inches-\$3.00 to \$5.00 a yard.

Men's Initialed Handkerchiefs 35c

-Or 3 for \$1.00. An attractive price for such desirable linen Handkerchiefs. All are neatly hemstitched and nicely initialed. Giv dozen, at \$4.00. Give them by the Market Street Cross Asle



The Christmas Book Store Full of Good Cheer

-Which radiates to all corners of the earth, wherever a Book carries the Christmas message of friendship.

Table after table of Fiction-50c to \$3.50. Shelf after shelf, laden with Books of Poetry, Drama, Travel, Biography, History, Essays, Literature, Politics, New Thought, Household Science, Psychology, Architecture, Music, Nature, Sociology, Sports and Games.

A special Table of Books Men will like. A special group of the well-known Mosher Books. Books in sets, from a small Three-volume set of Burns at \$3.00 to a Thirty-volume set of Dickens, handbound, \$190.00.

Books for Children Include These The Giants of Lilliputania,

with colored illustrations-50c. Charming Children of Dickens' Stories—90c.

Picture Story Book for children, with colored illustrations — twelve different volumes — 50c each.

A table of illustrated Classics for boys and girls, with colored illustrations-\$1.25 to \$2,

Famous Classics for boys and girls, over forty titles-\$1.00 Thousands of Books for boys and girls from 5 to 14 years old -50c cach.

Toy Books, paper, linen and washable muslin-5c to \$2.00.

Something-to-do and Paint-ting Books-25c to \$1.50. Comic Books, Doo Dads, Foxy

Grandpa, Buster Brown, Mutt and Jeff, etc.—25c to 50c each. Mother Goose, in a score or more different editions-35c to

Picture Story Books, Animals, Fairy Tales, etc., 75c to

Bedtime Stories-40e to 75c. Wee Books of all kinds, 25c for a single volume, and others, boxed, three and four books in a box-\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Three Little Cottontails, three titles-50c each.

Christmas Cards, Folders and Booklets—a wonderful variety.

Women's Wool Dresses Special Value at \$18.50

Christmas Music by the Strawbridge & Clothier Chorus

A Beautiful Way to Start a Christmas Shopping Day

An excellent opportunity for the many women who find they need an extra dress of this kind for a good, handy standby during the strenuous Holiday activities.

There are trim, well-tailored, good-looking models of Poiret twill, tricotine and serge, in navy blue and black, chiefly in the slender, straight-line styles, with the youthful round, collarless neckline. Some simply tucked, others embroidered or trimmed

An Excellent Assortment of

Wool and Silk Dresses at \$25.00

Canton crepe, chinchilla crepe and broche crepe in surplice plouse and straight-line models, black, brown or blue. Some are beautifully embroidered in unusual designs. Poiret twill Dresses with colored embroidery or braid for trimming; straight-line models in coat style, also surplice or basque effect. Navy blue and black-\$25.00. Strawbridge & Clothler, Second Floor, Market Street

Francis Bacon Player-Pianos \$550

Delivered in time for Christmas for a moderate first pay-ment, the balance payable in

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Upright Pianos — \$350.60, \$375.00 and \$400.00. Upright Player - Pianos ---\$550.00, \$575.00 and \$600.00. Baby Grand Pianos-\$700. Reproducing Upright Planes

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Reproducing Grand Pianos -81600.00. In addition to these, we are also exclusive representatives for the supreme Sohmer Pianos, Player-Pianos and Reproducing Pianos, as well as for Hazelton Brothers' fine instruments.

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Gift Bath Robes Are of Corduroy

\$5.95 A lovely Bath Robe. Of corduroy, as ske tched. in rose, cherry, hagen blue and purple. The value is exceptionalat

\$5.95. The same model with mull lining, spe-

e i a i — Another levely Corducty Bath Robe, unlined, with shawl collar, girdle and pockets, special-\$3.95.

A tailored model-\$5.00. Strawbridge & Clothier-Third Floor, Plibert Street, West

Wall Paper at Half Price

Small lots of beautiful Wall Paper, each consisting of 10 pieces of side-wall paper, 6 pieces of ceiling pape; and 18 yards of decoration. Included are stripes and florals for the bedroom, tapestries, shadow and figured striped patterns for the dining-room and hall. Prices range from \$3.00 to 87.00 a lot.

A small lot of Japanese Grass Cloth Paper-50c a square yard.

In addition, all our present stocks of Wall Paper are reduced for a pre-Christmas clearance. Prices are very

Strawbridge & Clothier-Taled Floor, Filbert Street



That Boy Would Like a Raincoat

Indeed he would! And we have the best kinds for boys, arranged so that you can select quickly.

Raincoats at \$3.75

Black Rubber Raincoats: sizes 6 to 16 years-\$3.75. Of black rubber, with tan jean back; 6 to 16 years-\$5. Tan Rubberized, belted; 6 to 14 years—\$5.00.

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Men who are particular about their clothes will find this Custom Tailoring Shop a good place in which to satisfy their needs.

Business Suits made-tomeasure from an abundant range of suitings-\$47.50 and Also a large collection of weeds and homespuns for golf

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JUST THE GIFT FOR YOUNGSTERS, 2 TO 6

Slip-on Sweater, Leggings Cap and Mittens of tan camel's-hair wool, Roly poly youngsters look adorable in them, and they are just as warm and cosy as can be, ready for long play hours in wintry weather. Sweaters are belted, with a breast pocket and roll collar, Such Sets are usually much higher in price, but we secured these at a price concession-now \$7.95. Strawbrolan & Clothiar— Phila Phot, West

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Continuing the Sale of Sample Coats from our own fact. . . including Top Coats of fancy mixed tweeds, in the overcoat styles. Dress Coats of fine Bolivia weaves in plain shades; and Plusia Coats that closely resemble fur coats; in straight-line belted and wrap effects. Many handsome fur-collar Coats in the let. An excellent variety of the best types of the season-\$35, \$40, \$50, \$65, \$75, \$100

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3000 Yards of Heavy \$3.50 Satin Canton Crepe

A dress length of one of the season's smartest Silks is a gift to delight a woman. A heavy quality, beautiful in weave and texture, that falls in graceful drapery or slim straight lines in accord with fashion's whims. In black and smart shades. This is a rare opportunity, indeed, to secure Satin Canton Crepe of such excellence at \$3.50 a yard.

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A Christmas Cantata written especially for

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Give Her Aladdin

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tiful sterling silver specimen. What a spiengia gire beautiful, firmly-woven, ex-beautiful, firmly-woven, ex-beautiful, firmly-woven, ex-designed Linen able Typewriter for home use

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Bed Spreads with Sham to match-\$12.50 a set. S. & C. Sterling

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Have you seen Mutt and Jeff? They are the fun-

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Special, an excellent model in Automobiles, \$5.00.

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